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Forty-first Annual Price List

# The J. C. Robinson Seed Company

WHOLESALE

# SEED GROWERS

WATERLOO, NEBR.

BRANCHES
ROCKY FORD, COLO.
MODESTO, CALIF.

1928 CONTRACT PRICE LIST OF VINE SEEDS AND SEED CORN

# Telegraph Code Phrases

DABBLE-Enter our order for new crop after harvest delivery
DAMASK-Enter our order for prompt shipment by freight
DEVULGE-Enter our order for prompt shipment by express
DEPUTY—Enter our order for prompt shipment by parcel post
DAMPER—When can you ship our order
DERRICK—Mail sample for trial grounds of
DESERVE—Rush shipment advise name and number of car
DESIGNED—Wire your best price for prompt shipment
DETAINED—Wire your best price for shipment from new crop
DEVOLVE—Ship our order via
DIALECT—Confirm our order by wire
DIAMETER—Confirm our order by letter
DIGNITY—Cancel our order for
DISCHARGE—Add to our order
DIRECTORY—Samples not received send duplicates
DEWLAP—Your letter and samples received
DILATORY—We are sending stock seeds immediately
DENOTE—Your prices too high we offer
DIADEM—We are writing you fully
DANGLE-We are entering your order and will ship as requested
DASHER-We can offer the following delivered
DICTION-We are sold out of all varieties named
DISABUSE—We are sold out of all varieties named except
DESCEND—We are entering your order except
DISFAVOR-We are entering your order at your prices
DISGRACE—Your offer too low, will split difference
DISHEVEL-Your offer too low must have increase per pound of
DISJOINT—Your shipment left here
DISMAST—Shipment now enroute
DISQUIET-We are adding to your order varieties requested
DOUGH—Send us your stock seeds immediately
DISTANCE—We will ship your order
DISTINCT—Wire us your shipping instructions
DOVETAIL—We are entering your order for all items except
DOWNFALL—We are cancelling items requested
DRACHM—We have had crop failures of
DRAINAGE—We have produced from your stock seeds
DIVAN—We offer F. O. B.
DISUNION—Your stock seeds not received
DISCUST—We have held a complete failure of
DISGUST-We have had a complete failure of

#### Announcement.

Our field of operation has been enlarged from year to year until our crops are now grown in so many districts that complete failures are minimized. New processes for harvesting vine seed will make for better vitality and volume. We solicit your business fully believing we are better situated than ever before to handle your requirements. Our selections are made carefully and cannot be excelled.

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An acreage will be planted of each variety to produce under ordinary conditions the various amounts required to fill all contract orders, and in no instance will any carry-over stock be used on contract orders, unless it may be mutually agreeable to our customers and ourselves. In case of shortages a sufficient reservation will be made for planting stock, after which all orders will be filled by an equal pro rata division of the entire remaining crop delivered to us by our various growers, all orders being treated alike.

Orders will be accepted for the growing of special stocks or new varieties at reasonable prices if planting stocks are furnished, and entire product to be taken by customers.

Orders for 25 pounds of a single variety of vine seeds will be filled at regular quotations; for orders of less than 25 pounds of a single kind, add five cents per pound. Bags extra at Waterloo, Nebr., values.

All contract prices are for prompt acceptance, and are subject to stenographic errors and omissions, fire and all other contingencies beyond our control.

Any claim as to short weight, packing or condition of the seed is to be made within two weeks after arrival of goods. We are not bound to either replace or make other amends should the seeds not meet requirements. We are never liable in any case to more than invoice price of goods. Should the final yield of seed be under our estimate we are under no obligation to fill as estimated. Crop failures release us entirely from obligation of delivery.

TERMS TO RELIABLE HOUSES—Field and Sweet Corn cash on receipt and examination; vine seed, sixty days' acceptance, or if discounted, 1 per cent in thirty days from date of shipment. All prices are based on delivery F. O. B. Waterloo, Nebr., Rocky Ford, Colo., or Modesto, Calif., our option. In every case shipment will be made when seeds are properly cleaned and tested. For deferred shipments special arrangements must be made at time of ordering.

#### THE J. C. ROBINSON SEED CO.

	Waterloo, Nebr.,	192
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<i>W</i>		
The	present freight rate from Waterloo to your city is Co	
***************************************	L. C. L.	
<b>****</b> ********************************	Garden Seeds, C. L. L. C. L.	
Our Scially for to type. corns.	sweet Corns are all grown from carefully selected stock g breeding purposes. We exercise every care to have these We hand pick all Sweet Corns at prices named except	rown espe- stocks true the fodder
Term	s: Cash upon receipt and examination.	
Amount	SWEET CORN	Per 100
Lbs.	Code Word Late Varieties	Lbs.
**	Evergreen, Narrow Grain	
***************************************	Oregon Evergreen	
•••••	Stowell's Evergreen Extra Selected	
***************************************	Stowell's Evergreen	
., '************************************	White EvergreenHaily	
**********	New Early EvergreenHorse	
*************	Late MammothHalve	
******************	Early MammothHames	
\	Potter's ExcelsiorHampe	
••••••	Country GentlemanHandy	
	Medium Early Varieties	
***************	Black Mexican	
*****************	Shaker's EarlyHover	
***************************************	Crosby's Early	
••	ChampionHotel	
	Howling Mob	
***************************************	Early Minnesota	
***************************************	Kendel's Early GiantHarsh	
***************************************	Extra Early Adams	

Amount Lbs.	SWEET CORN Early Varieties		Per 100 Lbs.
	Code	Word	
*******	Mammoth White Cory		
***************************************	White Cory	(	
	Early Red Cory	łavoc∫	
***************************************	Burpee's First of All	Hazel	-
	Golden Bantam (Special Farm Crop	Hedge	
***************************************	Golden Bantam (General Crop)	Helen	
	Golden or Bantam Evergreen	<b>Tepat</b>	
	Golden Giant	Iexad	
***************************************	Golden Cream	Hilly	
••••	Whipple's Yellow	lopes	
	Whipple's WhiteH	omes	
***	Peep of Day	linge	
***************************************	Early Mayflower	Hives	
	Early Malcolm	lodge	
	Charlevoix I	Iorse	
•	Sweet Fodder Corn No. 1	Hoist	
***************************************	Sweet Fodder Corn No. 2	Holly	
	FIELD CORN		
	(Prices on Field Corn Are Net)	ity	1.5
Amount	The quotations below are for our Commercial grade of Seed corn, except where noted. This corn is very carefully handled, being assorted by our own men at the shelter, and is all double screened and butted. We are willing to arrange for higher grades of corn on which we do more hand work, but of course at increased prices. Will be glad to make special prices for these grades.	Commercial Quality Per 56 Lbs.	Above Chicago Price No. 2 Corm
Bus.	Add 30c per bushel for Hand Picked Corn		
	Luce's FavoriteFable		
	Minnesota KingFacet		
	Wisconsin No. 8Facto		
***************************************	Minnesota No. 13Fagot		
	Early MurdockFaint		
*	King of the Earlies Fairy		
	Pride of the North Faith		
	White Cap Yellow Dent— White CobFamed		
*	Golden Glow or Wisconsin No. 12Fangs		
***************************************	Silver King or Wisconsin No. 7Farce		
	Bloody ButcherFarms		
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	FIELD CORN	nmer- Qual- Per Lbs.	bove icago rice 2 Corn
	Continued	Sommer ial Qual ity Per 56 Lbs.	Abo Chica Pri Fo.2
America de la companya de la company	Add 30c per bushel for Hand Picked Corn	0.2	. 4
	Iowa Gold MineFatal		
	Early MastodenFault		*************
***************************************	Reid's Yellow DentFeign		
	Meadow BrookFerel		
	Improved LeamingFelon		
	Champion White PearlFence		
	Wisconsin White DentFever		
******************	Iowa Silver MineFiber		
***************************************	Red Cob Fodder Fiend		
	Mammoth White Cob FodderFiery		
	Longfellow (Yellow Flint) Final		
A	Angel of Midnight Finch		
G## ### ### ### ####	Early Eight Rowed CanadaFishy		
	Canada Smut NoseFlake		
	Genesee Valley (Flint)Flank		
	King PhillipFlirt		
	Sanford (White Flint) Flood		
***************************************	North Dakota FlintFlock		
***************************************	Compton's EarlyFlour		
***************************************	White AustralianFlunk		
***************************************	Northwestern Red DentFocus		

If you want handpicked grades of the above please specify it on the order.

From our warehouse we turn out two grades of corn; "Commercial" on which above prices are based; "Choice" at 30c per bushel advance over above price. Write for particulars.

#### AIR DRIED CORN

If the season produces corn that requires artificial drying, a charge of  $2\theta$  cents per bushel will be added to contract price.

Amount Lbs.	POP CORN (For Seed) (Special Prices for Popping Corn)	Per Lb.
***************************************	White Rice, EarForge	
12010 DOST 20012 00 GWDA	White Rice, ShelledFreak	

Amount Lbs.	CUCUMBERS		Per Lb.
	Prices are delivered Waterloo, Rocky Ford, Colo., our option.	,	
*************	Ak-Sar-Ben White Spine	Code Word	
	0 1 1 1		
	Davis Perfect	Cache	
	Extra Early Long Green	Cadet	
	77 77 77 77 77 77 77 77 77 77 77 77 77		
	Fordhook Famous	[ ]	
	Improved Long Green	Canal	
	Long Green Turkey	Candy	
••••••	New Century	Caper	
	Woodruffs Hybrid	11	
		J	
	Early Russian	Cedar	
	Early Siberian	Chain	
	Fordhook Pickling		
	Monarch Pickler	( )	
	Perfected Jersey Pickling	Chart	
	Thorburn's Everbearing		
*************	Arlington White Spine	)	
**************	Bennett's White Spine	1 1	
	Boston Pickle		
	Chicago Pickle	Choir	
	Earliest of All	Chunk	
	Early Cluster	Civil	
	Early Frame		
	Early Short Green	Cleft	
	Extra Early Green Prolific	Clock	
	Green Prolific		
	Henderson Perfected	CI.	
	Hill's Forcing White Spine		
	Improved White Spine	Coach	
	Jersey Pickle	Colon	
	Klondike White Spine	11	
	Livingston's Evergreen	11	
	Nichol's Medium Green	- 11	
	Peerless White Spine	11	
	Snow's Perfection Pickle	11	
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Amount Lbs.	CUCUMBERS (CONTINUED)	Per Lb.
	Livingston's EmeraldCoupe	
	Japanese ClimbingCrate	
***************************************	Parisian PicklingCrumb	
	White WonderCrook	
4	Danish PicklingCrust	
	West India GherkinCrypt)	
	LemonCubeb(	
	Wild (U. S. Department of Agriculture re-	
***************	quests this be omitted from catalogue)Cycle	
	Chinese EvergreenCrack	
8da	Serpent or Snake (Genuine)Crowd	
	DeltusComer)	
48888554555668886000000	Vaughn or LongfellowCanto	
	BarteldesCease	
***************************************	Special Strains	
000000000000000000000000000000000000000	Large Varieties (Product Basis only)	
***************************************	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
	MUSKMELON	
	Prices are delivered Waterloo, Nebr., or Rocky Ford, Colo., our option.  Shipping associations demand hand cut seed from the first setting of fruits. We are in a position to furnish this quality of any variety of cantaloupes at an additional cost of 15 cents pound.  Acme or Baltimore Market	
	Anne Arundel	
***************************************	Banana Major	
	Bay ViewMange	
***************************************	Burrell's Gem Manna	
	Casaba (Eastern)Marry	
	Champion Market	
	Early Green Nutmeg Metal	
***************************************	Early Watters	
	Eden Gem Micro	
***************************************	Extra Early Green Citron Middy	
4**************************************	Extra Early HackensackMimic	
***************************************	Ferry's DefenderMince	
***************************************	FordhookMinor	
	1	
8	Grand Rapids Early Market	
***************************************	Hackensack LargeMisty	
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Amount Lbs.	MUSKMELON (CONTINUED)		Per Lb.
	Hoodoo	Code Word	
	Improved Yellow Cantaloupe	1 1	
	Jenny Lind	1	
	Knight or Maryland	_ [ ]	
	Long Island Beauty		
***************************************	Netted Gem (Burpee's)	Moron	
	Netted Rock	1 1	
***************************************	Paul Rose	Motor	
	Perfection or Princess	Mould	
	Pollack No. 25	Milky	
	Prolific Nutmeg	Mycol	
	Pollack No. 10-25	1 1	
	Rocky Ford	Myrrh	
	Rocky Ford Rust Resisting	Myxom	
	Surprise	Mumps	
	Emerald Gem	Murky	
	Miller's Cream	Murra 📙	
	Montreal Market	Mummy	
	Osage	Munch	
	Osage, Extra Early	Mungo	
	Shumway's Giant	Milta	
•	Texas Cannon Ball	Mower	
	Tip Top	Mulct	
	Yellow Meated Japan	Mourn	
ĺ	Robinson's Delicious Gold Lined	)	
******	Rocky Ford	Mount	
	Solid Netted Burrell's Gem	Moral)	
	Hearts of Gold Improved	Monad	
	Pearl Pink Meat	Moist	
	Peerless Pearl White Seeded	Mayor	
	Greeley Wonder	Micro	
***************************************	Benders' Surprise	Minus	
	Perfecto Improved	Murza 📜	
	Hales Best (H. B.)	Mecca	
	Imperial	Means	
	Lake Champlain	Minsk	
	Milwaukee Market	Midge	
	Ohio Sugar	Meter	
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Amount Lbs.	MUSKMELON	Per Lb.
	(CONTINUED) Code Word	
***************************************	Honey Dew—Green FleshMerit	
***************************************	Honey Dew—Pink FleshMercy	
	Nicholsons Honeyball (orginators	
	Strain)Mabel	
***************************************	Golden Beauty Casaba (winter)Melee	
***************************************	)	
***************************************		
	Special Strains (Product Basis only)	
	WATERMELON	
	Northern Grown Deliveries F. O. B. Modesto, Cal., on most va-	
	rieties. Balance Waterloo, Nebr. Modesto rate	
	approximates Rocky Ford, Colo., rate on points east of Chicago.	
	Alabama SweetWafer	
•••••	Black BoulderWages	
***************************************	Black DiamondWagon	
	Black SpanishWaist	
*******	BossWaive	
***************************************	Carolina BradfordWaken	
	Cole's EarlyWalls	
	Cuban QueenWaltz	
	Dark IcingWarts	
	Dixie Watch	
	Early FordhookWalla	
	Excel Weald	
	Florida FavoriteWeedy	
	Georgia RattlesnakeWeigh	
	Girardeau's TriumphWeird	
*******	Gray Monarch (white seed)Welsh	
	Halbert HoneyWhack	
	Harris Earliest	
••••••	Ice CreamWharf	
•••••	Improved Kleck'ey Sweet	
	Jumbo or Duke JonesWheel	
	Kleckley's SweetWhiff	
	Kolb's Gem	
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Amount Lbs.	WATERMELON		Per Lb.
	(CONTINUED)  Mammoth Ironelad	Code Word	
	McIver's or Wonderful Sugar		
	Mountain Sweet	1	
	Phinney's Early	- 1	
	Round Light Icing		
•••••	Sweetheart	(	
	Tom Watson		
	Wondermelon	- 1	
	Vick's Early	1	
	Angelino Black Seeded	0	
		1	
	Angelino White Seeded		
	Chilian Black Seeded		
••••	Chilian White Seeded		
***************************************	Golden Honey (Brown seed)		
•••••	Irish Grey	(	
******************	Stone Mountain	1	
	Sugar Stick		
	Hungarian Honey		
••••	Perfection	)	
	Individual		
	Klondike	Wound	
	Golden Gate	Width	
	Citron Green Seeded	Wrath)	
	Citron Red Seeded	Wreck	
	King and Queen Winter	Vrist )	
	Thurmond Gray	Vrung	
	Special Strains (Product Basis only	)	
	SQUASH		
	Giant Crookneck	Sabre	
	Mammoth Whale		
	Delicious		
	Banana		
	Livingston's Cushaw		
	Mammoth Chili		
	American Turban		
	Bay State	* ! !	
	Essex Hybrid	1	
	Warren		
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Amount Lbs.	SQUASH (CONTINUED)		Per Lb.
		Code Word	
***************************************	Blue Hubbard		
***************************************	Chicago Warted Hubbard	-	
	Hubbard		
	Golden Hubbard		
	Kitchenette Hubbard	(	
***************************************	Marblehead		
	Table Queen (Acorn)	1	
	Sibley or Pike's Peak	) :	
	Boston Marrow		
***************************************	Green Cocozelle (Bush)		
********************************	Green Cocozelle (Vining)	Scoin	
	Zucchini	Splint	
***************************************	Fordhook Vine	Scoop	
	Fordhook—(bush)	Score	
	Golden Custard Scallop	Shade	
	Livingston's Pie Squash	Scout	
	Orange Marrow	Scrap	
	Prolific Marrow	Scrub	
	Vegetable Marrow White (Vine)	Sedan	
	Vegetable Marrow White (Bush)	Sever	
	Early Summer Crookneck (White)	)	
***************************************	Early Summer Crookneck (Yellow)	Shark	
	Long Island White Bush Scallop	Sheaf	
	Mammoth White Bush Scallop	1.1	
	Early White Bush Scallop		
	Dollar	( )	
	Early Yellow Bush Scallop	1 1	
	Special Winter (Product Basis only)	)	
	Special Summer (Product Basis only).		
	Special Summer (Trouble Busis only).		
	PUMPKIN		
	King of the Mammoth or Potiron	Panic	
	Cushaw (Striped)	Pansy)	
	Cushaw (White)	Paste	
	Golden Cushaw (Small)	Patch	
***************************************	Japanese Pie	Paver	
***************************************	Tennessee Sweet Potato	[]	
	Mammoth Golden Cushaw	1	
	Quaker Pie	1	
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Amount	PUMPKIN		Per Lb.
Lbs.	(CONTINUED)	Code Word	
	Kentucky Field	Pivot	 
	Winter Luxury	Phlox	
***************************************	Golden Oblong	Piker	
***************************************	Connecticut Field	Purse	
	Large Cheese Old Fashioned Strain	Pigmy	
	Small Sugar	Pilot	
•••••	Calhoun	Pitch	
	Special Strains (Product Basis only	)	
	GOURDS		
	Apple	Gable	
	Calabash	Gamut	
	Pear Shape	Grape	
	Dipper	Gauge	
	Hercules Club	Goose \	
	Japanese Nest Egg	Girth	
	Orange	Gleam	
	Mixed		
	Sugar Trough	Glide	
	MISCELLANEOUS		
	Garden Lemon	Globe)	
	Vegetable Orange or Vine Peach	( )	***************************************
	GARDEN BEANS		Per 100 Lbs.
	Henderson's Bush Lima	Bevel	

# Seed Contract.

WE HEREBY agree to undertake to grow the within named quantities and varieties of Vine Seed and Seed
Corn for
of
under conditions and prices annexed and will deliver same on board cars at Waterloo, Nebr., Rocky Ford, Colo., or Modesto, Calif., as early in the season as either seed or corn can be well cured and put in merchantable condition. Both seed and corn to be true to name, of good sample, purity and vitality.
Terms—Field and Sweet Corn, cash on receipt and examination; vine seed, by acceptance due in 60 days from date of shipment; or if discounted, 1 per cent for cash in 30 days from date of shipment. Bags extra at value.
It is mutually agreed that in case of a shortage of any of the within named quantities that a full pro rata division shall be considered a satisfactory delivery on the order.
The J. C. Robinson Seed Company gives no warranty expressed or implied as to description, quality, productiveness or any other matter of any seeds, or seed corn it sends out, and will in no way be responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms they are to be returned at once.
The J. C. Robinson Seed Co.
Per
Waterloo, Nebr.,, 192,
I Hereby Agree to accept the within named Seeds and Corns and pay for same upon terms and conditions above specified.
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### Telegraph Code Words

To indicate price in cents per bushel start each word with letter "B."

PRICE IN CENTS PER POUND.

Endurance4c	Entreat24c	Establish50c
Enemes½c	Envelope25c	Estrange51c
Energize34c	Enviable26c	Etching52c
Enfeble1c	Environs27e	Eternal53c
Enforce2c	Epaulet28c	Ethics54c
Engage3c	Epicure29c	Etiquette55c
Engineer4c	Epigram30c	Evacuate60c
	Epilepsy31c	Evasion65c
Engrave5c	Episode32c	Evaporate70c
Engross	Epitaph33c	Evening80c
Enjoyable8c	Equable34c	Everglade85c
Enkindle9c	Equalize35c	Evidence90c
Enlisted10c	Equine36c	Evolve95c
Enliven11c	Equipage37c	Exalted\$1.00
Enmity12c	Eradicate38c	Example\$1.05
Ennoble13c	Erection39c	Excavate\$1.10
Enormity14c	Ermine40c	Excelsior\$1.15
Enrapture15c	Errand41c	Exciting\$1.20
Enravish16c	Erratic42c	Exclaim\$1.25
Ensemble17c	Eruption43c	Excursion \$1.50
Enshrine18c	Escapade44c	Excusable \$1.75
Enslave19c	Eskimo45c	Exercise\$2.00
Entangle20c	Espionage46c	Exhausted\$2.25
Entertain21c	Espouse47c	Exhibited\$2.50
Enthrone22c	Esquire48c	Exodus\$2.75
Entrance23c	Essayist49c	Expanse \$3.00
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#### **POUNDS**

To indicate bushels start each word with the letter "B," for instance Beaglet indicates one bushel.

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Eaglet	1	Elaborate 80	Embellish 1,500
Eardrum	2	Elapse 85	Emblazon 2,000
Earldom	3	Elation 90	Embolden 2,500
Earshot	4	Elbow 95	Embroil 3,000
Easel	5	Elderly100	Emerald 3,500
Eatable	6	Election150	Emergent 4,000
Eaves	7	Electro200	Emigrate 4,500
Ebony	8	Elegant250	Eminent 5,000
Eclipse	9	Elemental300	Emissary 6,000
Economy	10	Elephant350	Emotion 7,000
Ecstacy		Elevate 400	Emperor 8,000
Edgewise	20	Elicit450	Employed 9,000
Edible		Eligible 500	Emporium10,000
	30	Eliminate 550	Empress15,000
	35	Elixir 600	Emulate20,000
	40	Ellipse 650	Enamel25,000
Efficacy	45	Elocution 700	Encamp30,000
	50	Elongate 750	Enchain35,000
	55	Eloquent 800	Encircle40,000
	60	Elucidate 850	Encompass45,000
Egotistic		Emaciate 900	Encounter50,000
Eiderdown		Embalmed 950	
			Endanger55,000
Ejaculate	(9	Embarrass 1,000	Endeavor60,000

